Key Metrics for Canadian ODA

1. Canadian Official Development Assistance (ODA)

2023/24: $10,005 million
2024/25: $9,712 million

2. Canadian ODA Performance (ODA to Gross National Income)

2023/24: 0.35%
2024/25: 0.32%

3. In-Donor Refugee Costs in Canadian ODA

2023/24: $2,567M 27% of Canadian ODA 4th Among 32 DAC Providers (2023)
2024/25: $2,385M 25% of Canadian ODA 5th Among 32 DAC Providers (2024)

4. Canadian ODA in Support of Ukraine

2023/24: $818M 8% of Canadian ODA 2cd Among 32 DAC Providers (2023)
2024/25: $638M 7% of Canadian ODA 2cd Among 32 DAC Providers (2024)

5. Canadian ODA less support for Ukraine and In-Donor Refugee Costs (IDRC)

2023/24: $6,605M ODA Performance: 0.23% Less IDRC only: 0.26%
2024/25: $6.681M ODA Performance: 0.22% Less IDRC only: 0.24%

6. Trends since 2019/20

Millions of Canadian Dollars	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25
Canadian ODA						
1. Canadian Net ODA	$5,990	$8,206	$7,820	$12,252	$10,005	$9,712
2. Real Canadian ODA (less in-donor refugee costs)	$5,072	$7,625	$6,913	$10,106	$7,437	$7,327
3. Real Canadian ODA for other purposes (less support for COVID-19 Control and Ukraine)	$5,072	$6,642	$6,168	$7,118	$6,605	$6,618
Canadian ODA Performance						
4. Canadian ODA Performance (ODA to GNI)	0.26%	0.37%	0.31%	0.44%	0.35%	0.32%
5. Real Canadian ODA Performance	0.22%	0.35%	0.28%	0.36%	0.26%	0.24%
6. Real Canadian ODA Performance for other purposes (no COVID-19 Control & Ukraine)	0.22%	0.30%	0.25%	0.26%	0.23%	0.22%

7. Share of Climate Finance in Canadian Bilateral ODA (no in-donor refugee costs)

2023/24: Total: 16% Adaptation: 11% Mitigation: 9%
2024/25: Total: 20% Adaptation: 12% Mitigation: 15%

8. CSOs as a Delivery Channel: Share in Canadian ODA (no in-donor refugee costs)

2023/24: Total ODA: 20% Total Bilateral ODA: 27%
2024/25: Total ODA: 23% Total Bilateral ODA: 31%

9. Multilateral Organizations as Delivery Channels: Share in Canadian ODA (no in-donor refugee costs)

2023/24: Total ODA: 61% Bilateral ODA (Multi-Bi): 47%
2024/25: Total ODA: 59% Bilateral ODA (Multi-Bi): 46%

Box One: Definitions

Official Development Assistance (ODA) is defined by the OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC) as official (i.e. government) resources that are "administered with the promotion of the economic development and welfare of developing countries as its main objective." What can be included in ODA is agreed by all DAC providers in negotiated Reporting Instructions.
(DAC, "ODA Definition and Coverage": https://www.oecd.org/en/topics/sub-issues/oda-eligibility-and-conditions/official-development-assistance--definition-and-coverage.html.)

International Assistance Envelope is the budgetary framework for Canadian international assistance, which includes a large part of Canadian ODA, but also international finance for areas (such as security) that are not eligible under DAC rules to be included in ODA.

Real ODA is a measure adopted in these Briefing Notes to clarify what ODA resources may be available to developing country partners. Real ODA is Actual ODA less,

- In-Donor Refugee Costs (Official resources for refugees' first year in provider countries)
- Imputed Student Costs (an estimate of the value of Canadian universities and colleges utilized by students from ODA-eligible countries studying in Canada. Canada no longer counts these costs as ODA)
- Debt Cancellation (Using the cash-basis for loans, cancellation of official debt comes from reserves.)

ODA for Other Purposes is a measure adopted in these Briefing Notes to account for the impact of very large ODA investments in COVID-19 Control and more lately for Ukraine, to allow for comparisons with years previous to 2019/20.